

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION**

SAYON BESTMAN,
BOP Reg. #72627-019,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

* MOTION TO VACATE
* 28 U.S.C. § 2255
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* CRIMINAL ACTION NO.
* 1:21-CR-00385-ELR-JSA-6
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* CIVIL ACTION NO.
* 1:24-CV-02863-ELR
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ORDER

This matter is before the Court for consideration of the Report and Recommendation (“R&R”) of Magistrate Judge Justin S. Anand. [Doc. 281]. Petitioner filed a *pro se* §2255 Motion. [Doc. 269]. Judge Anand recommends that Petitioner’s § 2255 Motion [Doc. 269] be denied with prejudice and a Certificate of Appealability be denied.

After conducting a careful and complete review of a magistrate judge’s findings and recommendations, a district court judge may accept, reject, or modify a magistrate judge’s R&R. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C); Williams v Wainwright, 681 F.2d 732 (11th Cir. 1982). No objections to the magistrate judge’s R&R have been filed, and

therefore, the Court has reviewed the R&R for plain error. See United States v Slay, 714 F.2d 1093, 1095 (11th Cir. 1983). The Court finds no error.

Accordingly the Court **ADOPTS** the R&R [Doc. 281] as the Opinion and Order of this Court. For the reasons stated in the R&R, the Court **DENIES** Petitioner's Motion to vacate sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255. [Doc. 269]. Additionally, the Court **DECLINES** to issue a certificate of appealability. The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to **CLOSE** the civil case associated with Petitioner's § 2255 Motion: Civil Action No. 1:24-CV-02863-ELR.

SO ORDERED, this 28th day of April, 2025.



Eleanor L. Ross
United States District Judge
Northern District of Georgia